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Applicant: Bashir Zikria, et al
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Of Tissue Injury . . .
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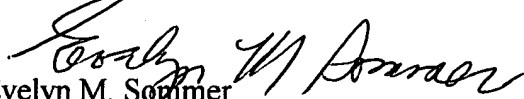
The above-entitled application was appealed to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences ("Board").

On May 28, 2002, the Board issued a decision in which the rejection of claims 1-20, all of the claims in the case, was **reversed**. Due to problems with the undersigned's mailing address, the decision was not received for some time. The Board and the Office were contacted and it was delivered, the matter of the address was completely resolved.

To date, however, no patent has been issued on the application nor any reason provided why this has not happened.

It is respectfully requested that the undersigned be notified as soon as possible of
the status of the application and/or when the patent will issue.

Respectfully submitted,


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